

### **SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS**

Please amend the first full paragraph lines 4-6, of the application as follows:

~~This application is a continuation in part of Provisional Application Serial No. 60/062,354, filed October 15, 1997, and entitled "A Neurofuzzy Methodology For Intelligent Hearing Prosthetics", upon which priority is claimed.~~

This application is a continuation of pending Application No. 09/170,671 filed October 13, 1998 which claims the benefit of the filing date of October 15, 1997 of Provisional Application No. 60/062,354.